

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**

**ABSTRACT**

Public Services – RWS&S Dept– Allegations of non-commissioning of PWS Schemes in Jammikunta (M), Karimnagar District - Sri J.V. Raghavaulu, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Karimnagar now working at Khammam – Disciplinary proceedings under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of charges – Issued.

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PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IA) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.Rt.No. 403.**

**Dated:21.02.2014**

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**ORDER:**

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri J.V. Raghavaulu, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Karimnagar now working at Khammam, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehavior in respect of which the enquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of article of charges (Annexure-I). A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the article of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-II and III).

3. Sri J.V. Raghavaulu, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Karimnagar now working at Khammam, is directed to submit within ten (10) days of the receipt of this order, a written statement of his defence.

4. Sri J.V. Raghavaulu, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Karimnagar now working at Khammam, is informed that an enquiry will be held only in respect of article of those charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny article of charge.

5. Sri J.V. Raghavaulu, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Karimnagar now working at Khammam, is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the period specified in Para 3 above or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 or the orders / directions issued in pursuance of the said rules, the Inquiring Authority may hold the inquiry against him ex-parte.

6. Sri J.V. Raghavaulu, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Karimnagar now working at Khammam, is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings, it will be presumed that Sri J.V. Raghavaulu, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Karimnagar now working at Khammam, is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of this G.O. shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

VIKAS RAJ  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (RWS&S)

To

Sri J.V. Raghavaulu, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Karimnagar now working at Khammam through the Engineer-in- Chief, RWS&S, Hyderabad.

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The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Hyderabad.

(in duplicate with a request to serve and return the dated acknowledgement copy)

Copy to:

The PR&RD (Estt.I) Department.

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## **ANNEXURE-I**

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 403 , PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt.21.02.2014)

### **STATEMENT OF ARTICLE OF CHARGES AGAINST SRI J.V.RAGHAVULU, THE THEN EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S, KARIMNAGAR NOW WORKING IN KHAMMAM.**

#### **CHARGE:**

That Sri J.V.Raghavulu, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Karimnagar District, has failed to follow the guide lines issued in CPHEEO manual. He also recommended for defective design of pumping main. Thus, he has neglected his duties.

#### **BASIS:-**

The Chief Engineer, Vig&QC, RWS&S, Hyderabad in his Lr.No.AEE1/DEEIII/1254/Non Commissioning of Schemes/KNR, dt.13.2.2013 has reported that the Scheme 'Providing Pumping Main from Manair River to Kothapalley(v)" of Jammikunta (M) with an estimated cost Rs.35.00 Lakhs under ARWS Plain Grant, is not functioning. Sri.J.V.Raghavulu, the then Executive Engineer, has recommended for pumping main without standard design due to which the scheme has become defunct. Hence, there by the entire expenditure of Rs.35.00 Lakhs incurred has become unfruitful. The HDPE pumping main was disconnected at some places and exposing on ground. The laying of Pipeline is not as per BIS standards of specification and CPHEEO Manual. The Pipe line depth was observed as 0.85m and thickness of sand cushion as 7.5cm against the specified values of 1.00m and 0.10m respectively. The Procurement of 110mm dia 6kg/cm<sup>2</sup> HDPE Pipes without ISI mark utilized in the work supplied by M/s. Balaji Pipes Ltd, KamaReddy for which the pre-delivery quality control inspection was conducted by SE, RWS&S, Karimnagar & Sri.J.V.Raghavulu, EE, RWS&S, Karimnagar, is in violation of agreement conditions. Further in the work "PWS Scheme at Bijjigiri Shariff (V) of Jammikunta(M), the components like Infiltration well, Pumping Main and other items executed are not in use due to failure of source and the total expenditure Rs.13.00 lakhs(approx) incurred on the above said items under various grants is merely wasteful expenditure. From this, it is evident that he has shown gross negligence towards his Legitimate Duties and failed in Supervision which is in violation of Rule (3) of A.P.Civil Services, (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Hence the charge.

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**ANNEXURE-II**

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 403 , PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt.21.02.2014)

**LIST OF THE DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES ARE  
PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED AGAINST SRI J.V.RAGHAVULU, THE  
THEN EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S, KARIMNAGAR NOW WORKING  
IN KHAMMAM.**

Lr.No.AEE1/DEEIII/1254/Non Commissioning of Schemes/KNR,  
dt.13.2.2013 of Chief Engineer, V&QC, RWS&S, Hyderabad.

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**ANNEXURE-III**

(Annexure to G.O.Rt.No. 403 PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt.21.02.2014)

**LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES ARE  
PROPOSED TO BE SUSTAINED AGAINST SRI J.V.RAGHAVULU, THE  
THEN EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S, KARIMNAGAR NOW WORKING  
IN KHAMMAM.**

- NIL -

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